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From The Dy Commissioner Hazara District

To

The Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Punjab General Department.

Dated 10th December.

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Requests a definite ruling regarding the taxation of boats that are worked by the Agents of the Roman Mission at Hassan for charitable purposes as well as the rental and buildings used by them.

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No. 1 of 1880-81. (1)

Harran District,
Deputy Commissioner's Office,
Dated. 19th December 1880.

To,

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Assam,
Revenue Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that in fixing the demand for the Jamabandi of the current year (Fikrawan), the Settlement Officer has included the three looms worked by the orphans of the Industrial Mission at Harran as liable to the payment of Income Tax, and assessed them on the Looms basis, rate of Rs: 4-- each.

2. The Revd. J. C. Bindett begs that they may be considered free from taxation, in consideration that the works in connection with the Orphanage are of a purely charitable nature, that the female cloths manufactured by them are not sold for profit, but are used in clothing the girls in the Orphanage, and that the boys being only learners for a few hours each day are unable to turn out much work.

3. All these points and I conceive deserving of serious consideration by the authorities, but I see no objection to order any remission without some special reason which may be a guide to myself and my successors in office.

4. There is the question also as to whether the Explanatory Levi Cabin should be taxed. The Mission premises are now liable to Municipal House-tax, but the two buildings used as the Boys and Girls Orphanages are exempt as devoted to religious and Charitable objects. The two School Houses, one rented by the Mission from Government for a girls School, and the other lately opened by the Mission in the Pa Hah are also exempt on the same ground which I consider to be right. A definite ruling would however set the matter at rest.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

J. Hill

Asst Commissioner

Karenni District

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To The Deputy Minister of Customs

Dated 16th December

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Requesting from Montreal
Cop Loan limited by the
Exhibition for Malagan buy
at Kajaan as well as the
Exchange building duty.

Please

Read :-

Letter No. 401 of the 10th Dec., 330 from the Govt. of the Carnatic, requesting instructions regarding the taxation of the house owned by the Orphans of the Basel Mission at Karur, as well as the ~~Orphanage~~ buildings used by them.

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Considered :- The house owned by the orphans should certainly not be taxed with Malatax. The orphanage which is a charitable building may also be exempted from the Municipal House Tax.

By Resolution

To the Govt. of Madras.
" The Govt. of Travancore.

Dated 6 December 1911

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